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Participation in G20

ICFRE, Dehradun participated in the G20's First Environment and Climate Sustainability Working Group Meeting from 9 to 11 February 2023 organized at ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru.



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Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav and LiFE



- Students along with Teachers from Delhi Public School, Nazira, Sivasagar (Assam) visited ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat on 2 February 2023.



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- ICFRE-SDC, Chhindwara organized awareness-cum-demonstration programme on preparation of Jivamrit for conservation of soil and maintaining soil productivity for local people of Chhindwara on 2 February 2023.



ICFRE-SDC, Chhindwara organized awareness cum demonstration programme on preparation of Jivamrit for conservation of soil and maintaining soil productivity

- ICFRE-FRI, Dehradun organized a programme on Botanization of FRI campus for the students of different M.Sc courses of Forest Research Institute deemed to be University on 4 February 2023.



ICFRE-FRI, Dehradun organized a programme on Botanization of FRI campus

- ICFRE-ERC, Prayagraj conducted a scientist-student connect programme in the Forestry Awareness Camp on 8 February 2023.



ICFRE-ERC, Prayagraj organized a scientist-student connect programme

- ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur organized hands on training on Organic farming and its Management under Bamboo plantation at Khairagarh (Chhattisgarh) on 8 February 2023 for unemployed youth and women.



ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur organized hands on training on Organic farming and its Management under Bamboo plantation

- ICFRE-IFB, Hyderabad organized a training programme on NTFP's collection & value addition on 9 February 2023. 46 BSc-3rd Year-Agriculture Students from Malla Reddy University, Hyderabad participated in the programme.



ICFRE-IFB, Hyderabad organized a training programme on NTFP's collection & value addition

- A one-day training programme on employment generation through lac cultivation was organized by ICFRE-IFP, Ranchi on 9 February 2023. Around 40-50 farmers participated in this training program separately in two teams.

- ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur organised a programme under Swachhata Abhiyan on 10 February 2023. All the Scientists, Officers and staff of the Institute actively participated in the programme.

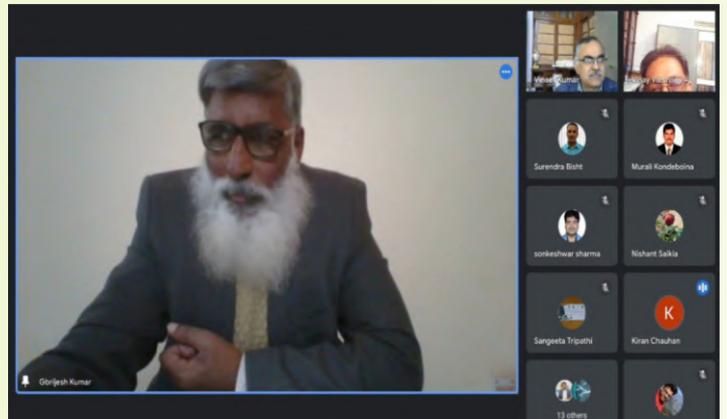


- Under the joint auspices of ICFRE-ERC, Prayagraj and World Ayurveda Mission a one-day scientific seminar was organized on Treatment of Diabetes in Indian System of Medicine on 15 February 2023.



ICFRE-ERC, Prayagraj and World Ayurveda Mission conducted a scientific seminar

- ICFRE-FRI, Dehradun organized a webinar on LCQTOFMS: Data analysis & interpretation for advancing the analytical capabilities of the scientists, technical staff and research scholars on 15 February 2023.



ICFRE-FRI, Dehradun webinar on LCQTOFMS: Data analysis & interpretation for advancing the analytical capabilities

- ICFRE-SDC, Chhindwara conducted Cleanliness campaign on 15 February 2023 with the involvement of scientists, staff and project staff of the ICFRE- SDC, Chhindwara.
- ICFRE-AFRI, Jodhpur organized a lecture on Convert Plant's residue to compost on 17 February 2023. Technical Officers and Technicians of ICFRE-AFRI, Jodhpur attended the programme.
- ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru conducted webinar on Engineered Wood Composites: Cross Laminated Timber for Green Buildings on 20 February 2023. Personnel from educational institutions, research institutes, students, academics interested in engineered wood composites attended the webinar.
- ICFRE-IFGTB, Coimbatore conducted seminar on Red Sanders Cultivation on 21 February 2023.

- ICFRE-IFP, Ranchi conducted training programme on Bamboo Propagation, Management and Handicraft Manufacturing in village Hansbeda, Karra, Khunti on 23 February 2023. About 35 to 40 bamboo artisans participated in the programme.
- A seminar was organized on eco-friendly way of life by ICFRE-IFP, Ranchi on 24 February 2023.
- A quiz, painting and writing competition related to the great heroes of the freedom struggle was organized for the students by the ICFRE-ERC, Prayagraj on 27 February 2023.
- ICFRE-HFRI, Shimla organized an awareness programme on Solid waste Management on 27 February 2023 . Participants including people from Panthaghati suburban area participated in the programme.



ICFRE-IFP, Ranchi organized programme on Bamboo Propagation, Management and Handicraft Manufacturing



ICFRE-ERC, Prayagraj organized quiz, painting and writing competition

Significant Research Findings

ICFRE-Institute of Forest Genetics and Tree Breeding, Coimbatore

The biopesticide Hy-ACT (30 Litres) developed using the tree borne seed oil of *Hydnocarpus pentandra* supplied to IWST for the management of *Hyblaea puer* in Mangroves areas in Mumbai Metropolitan Region reported significant reduction of the insect incidence.

Tree Growers Mela/Kisan Mela

- ICFRE-IFP, Ranchi participated in Agrotech Kisan Mela-2023 organized by Birsa Agricultural University, Kanke, Ranchi from 3 to 5 February 2023.



ICFRE-IFP, Ranchi participated in Agrotech Kisan Mela-2023

- ICFRE-IFP, Ranchi participated in two day Kisan Mela-cum-Agriculture Exhibition-2023 organized by ICAR-National Institute of Secondary Agriculture (NISA), Namkum, Ranchi from 16 to 17 February 2023.



ICFRE-IFP, Ranchi participated in two day Kisan Mela-cum-Agriculture Exhibition-2023

Consultancies

Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education, Dehradun

Works on different scientific consultancy projects was undertaken and one final and 7 draft EA reports were submitted to respective agencies. Revised Reclamation and Rehabilitation Plan for Ramandurga Iron ore mine of M/s. Sri Kumar swamy Mineral Exports, ML No. 2141, Category-B, Area- 59.36 ha., Bellary district, Karnataka.

- ICFRE-IFGTB, Coimbatore participated in Agri Horti Farm Fest 2023 organized at Puducherry from 10 to 12 February 2023.



ICFRE-IFGTB, Coimbatore participated in Agri Horti Farm Fest 2023

- ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat participated in the Exhibition of 1st Bodoland International Knowledge Festival 2023 and showcased the research and development activities of the Institute from 27 February to 2 March 2023.



ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat participated in the Exhibition of 1st Bodoland International Knowledge Festival 2023



Workshops/Seminars/Meetings

S.No.	Topic	Duration	Participants
ICFRE-Forest Research Institute, Dehradun			
1.	Pre-consultation meeting on Forest Soil Health Cards for Haryana Forest Department	17 February 2023	Officials of Haryana Forest Department
ICFRE-Institute of Forest Genetics and Tree Breeding, Coimbatore			
2.	Seminar on Basics of molecular biology and Biochemistry	16 February 2023	26 Students of Tamil Nadu Corporation Higher Secondary School, R.S. Puram, Coimbatore
ICFRE- Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur			
3.	Workshop on Roadmap for QPM delivery and scope of TOF expansion	8 February 2023	40 participants including SFD officer, Agriculture Dept. officer, Horticulture. Dept. officer, Nursery Growers and Wood based Industries
4.	Workshop on Roadmap for QPM delivery and scope of TOF expansion in Tamil Nadu	23 February 2023	30 participants including Consultants and Stakeholders



ICFRE-IFGTB, Coimbatore conducted seminar on Basics of molecular biology and Biochemistry



ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur conducted workshop on Roadmap for QPM delivery and scope of TOF expansion in Tamil Nadu

ICFRE- Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla

5.	Meeting of Regional Variety Testing Committee (RVTC) related to Variety release of regional species	2 February 2023	9 participants including Scientists, Principle scientists, Chariman (Dept. of Bio-Sciences), IFS and Member Secretary
6.	Research Advisory Committee Meeting (RAC)	15 February 2023	55 participants including Scientists, officials, Research Staff and Ph.D scholars of ICFRE-HFRI, Shimla
7.	Seminar on Potential of Silvipastoral Systems in livelihood, productivity enhancement and restoration of waste/ degraded lands in North Western Himalaya: Challenges and Opportunities	28 February 2023	69 participants including Scientists, technical staff and research staff

ICFRE- Institute of Wood Science and Technology, Bengaluru

8.	Meeting on Deliberation on Draft Guidelines for Wood Based Industries of MOEF&CC (through hybrid mode)	8 February 2023	Representatives from Wood Based Industries
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ICFRE- Institute of Forest Productivity, Ranchi

9.	Workshop for farmers	1 February 2023	40 participants including Bihar Forest Department and farmers of Bihar
10.	Meeting on various research topics like setting of tissue culture lab, establishment of SPA, tree selection and follow up action of earlier works carried out in the dept.	7 February 2023	5 SFD officials from, Jharkhand
11.	Meeting on the ecological restoration of various mines of Steel Authority of India Ltd. of Kiriburu	12 February 2023	ICFRE-IFP, Ranchi & SAIL, Jharkhand
12.	Circle level inception workshop on DPR for rejuvenation of Damodar & Subarnarekha River through forestry intervention	22 February 2023	25 SFD officials from Odisha



ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru conducted meeting on Deliberation on Draft Guidelines



ICFRE-IFP, Ranchi conducted workshop on DPR for rejuvenation of Damodar & Subarnarekha River through forestry intervention

Training Programmes

ICFRE-Forest Research Institute, Dehradun

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| 1. | Basic of Computers, Internet and other online software applications | 9 February 2023 | Technical Staff |
| 2. | Agroforestry for land management | 23 to 24 February 2023 | 41 Farmers of Uttarakhand |

ICFRE- Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat

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| 3. | Two days training on various forestry topics along with field demonstrations of research activities | 13 and 14 February 2023 | SFS Trainees of CASFOS, Burnihat Assam |
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Training on Agroforestry for land management



Training on various forestry topics along with field demonstrations of research activities

4.	Skill Development training programme on Japi Making for Value Addition and Livelihood	26 and 27 February 2023	18 Villagers from different villages of Namsai district, Arunachal Pradesh
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ICFRE- Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur

5.	Harvesting and Management of Lac crop	1 February 2023	Farmers
6.	Propagation and Nursery Management of Bamboos	20 to 24 February 2023	12 participants including Entrepreneurs, Researchers and Students

ICFRE- Institute of Forest Productivity, Ranchi

7.	One Week training programme on various research works carried out by the Institute	6 to 10 February 2023	71 Forest Guards
8.	Rejuvenation of Damodar and Subarnarekha rivers through forestry interventions	15, 17 and 24 February 2023	102 participants including SFDs from Burdwan, Kharagpur, Bokaro and Ramgarh Forest Division



Training on Propagation and Nursery Management of Bamboos



Training on Rejuvenation of Damodar and Subarnarekha rivers through forestry interventions

ICFRE- Institute of Wood Science and Technology, Bengaluru

9.	Testing of Plywood, Block Board, Flush Door as per Indian Standards	6 to 10 February 2023	Officials of Naval Shipyard, Kochi
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10.	Bamboo/Wood resource management and value addition for sustained livelihood	20 to 24 February 2023	7 In-service IFS officers nominated by MoEF&CC
11.	Sandalwood based on agroforestry model	28 February 2023	95 Farmers



Training on Bamboo/Wood resource management and value addition for sustained livelihood



Training on Sandalwood based on agroforestry model

ICFRE- Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla

12.	Cultivation of Important Temperate Medicinal Plants: An option for Enhancing the Income of Local Communities	22 to 24 February 2023	30 Stakeholders
13.	Management of pests of high successional mountain and oak forests	23 February 2023	40 participants including Officials of Churah Forest Division, Chamba, Farmers and Salooni Panchayat representatives of Chamba district
14.	Management of pests of high successional mountain and oak forests	25 February 2023	40 participants including Officials of Palampur Forest Division and Farmers



Training on Cultivation of Important Temperate Medicinal Plants: An option for Enhancing the Income Local Communities



Training on Management of pests of high successional mountain and oak forests

ICFRE- Livelihood Extension Centre, Agartala

15.	Vermicomposting and its importance in organic farming	24 February 2023	120 participants including Students and teachers of Bhavan's Tripura College of Teacher Education, Agartala
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ICFRE- Skill Development Centre, Chhindwara

16.	Organic Farming and Uses	23 February 2023	30 Farmers
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Training on Vermicomposting and its importance in organic farming



Training on organic farming and its uses



Activities under Van Vigyan Kendras

- ICFRE-IFB, Hyderabad organized a one-day training programme on Cultivation Techniques on Red Sanders on 6 February 2023 under VVK at ICFRE-IFB, Hyderabad for the farmers.



ICFRE-IFB, Hyderabad organized a one-day training programme on Cultivation Techniques on Red Sanders

- ICFRE-IFB, Hyderabad setup a stall in KVK, ICAR-Central Research Institute for Dryland Agriculture (CRIDA) & IFFCO-organized farmer's meet on 21 February 2023. Farmers were made aware of ICFRE technologies through posters and pamphlets.
- ICFRE-IFB, Hyderabad organized a one-day training programme on Sandalwood Cultivation & Management Techniques on 23 February 2023 under VVK at Forest College and Research Institute, Mulugu for the farmers.



ICFRE-IFB, Hyderabad organized a one-day training programme on Sandalwood Cultivation & Management Techniques

Memorandum of Understanding

A Memorandum of Understanding was signed between ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru and Quercus Space Bengaluru with respect to mass timber on 3 February 2023.

Prakriti Programme

ICFRE- Institute of Forest Genetics and Tree Breeding, Coimbatore

- 285 students from Akshaya Academy CBSE School, Palani, Tips Kinder care, Coimbatore, Christ the King College, Coimbatore and Flying Butterflies play school, Coimbatore visited Gass Forest Museum of ICFRE-IFGTB, Coimbatore on 10 March 2023.
- 151 students from Akshaya Academy, Palani, Dindigul district participated in the Prakriti programme on 14 February 2023 and a talk was delivered on Recycling.
- 18 students from Martin Homeopathy College, Coimbatore took part in the Prakriti programme on 15 February 2023 and a talk on Conservation of water was delivered and the methods of saving water like construction of dams, ponds, recycling of sewage water, and method of its conservation were also discussed in detail.
- A talk on Energy Conservation was delivered to 204 students from various schools of Tamil Nadu on 16 February 2023 at Gass Forest Museum of ICFRE-IFGTB, Coimbatore.



Students from various schools of Tamil Nadu visited Gass Forest Museum of ICFRE-IFGTB, Coimbatore

- A one day lecture programme on Basics of molecular biology and Biochemistry was conducted for 26 students of Tamil Nadu Corporation Higher Secondary School, R.S. Puram, Coimbatore on 16 February 2023.



ICFRE-IFGTB, Coimbatore organized a one-day lecture on Basics of molecular biology and Biochemistry

- A one-day field exposure on the theme Biodiversity and Nature walk was organized for school students on 22 February 2023. A total of 24 students and four teachers from three Government schools viz., V.R.T Government Girls Higher Secondary School, Anamalai, Government Higher Secondary School, Vettaikaranpudur and Government Higher Secondary School, Anamalai participated in the programme.

ICFRE-Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat

- 39 students from Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya (JNV), Golaghat under Prakriti programme/Vigyan Jyoti Programme visited ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat on 6 February 2023 and interacted with scientists.
- 22 students from Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya (JNV), Dibrugarh under Prakriti programme/Vigyan Jyoti programme visited ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat on 22 February 2023.



Students from JNV, Dibrugarh under Prakriti programme/Vigyan Jyoti programme visited ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat

ICFRE- Institute of Wood Science and Technology, Bengaluru

- As part of Prakriti programme and also to flagoff Mision LiFE programme an awareness session followed by nature walk was organized for about 37 graduate and Post Graduate students (Botany) of Maharani Lakshmi Ammani College for Women, Bangalore at ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru on 3 February 2023.
- As part of Prakriti programme about 15 students from Product design Department of Acharya School of Design, Bangalore visited Xylarium, Wood Workshop, Wood museum and AWTC at ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru on 7 February 2023.



Students from Product design Department of Acharya School of Design, Bangalore visited ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru

- As part of Prakriti programme about 15 students from Product design Department of Acharya School of Design, Bangalore visited adhesive lab, biology lab, testing lab, plywood plant at IWST- IPIRTI campus on 9 February 2023.



Students from Product design Department of Acharya School of Design, Bangalore visited adhesive lab, biology lab, testing lab, plywood plant at IWST- IPIRTI campus



- As part of Prakriti programme of ICFRE, about 12 graduate and post graduate students of Interior Design from Nitte School of Fashion Technology and Interior Design, Bangalore visited Xylarium, Wood Workshop, Wood museum and AWTC at ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru on 15 February 2023.
- As part of Prakriti programme of ICFRE, scientists and subject experts delivered two lectures on Glue formulation, preparation & properties of Adhesives and Troubleshooting failures in adhesively bonded wood panel products for about 21 post graduate students of Department of Wood Science & Technology, Kannur University on 27 February 2023.

ICFRE-Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur

- A group of 85 (Students) of Ajay Satya Prakash School Panagar, Jabalpur (M.P.) visited ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur on 10 February 2023. The students were briefed about the benefits of Forests and showed different activities displayed in the museum.
- A group of 60 (6th to 8th Class students) of Royal Heritage School, Jabalpur (M.P.) visited ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur on 27 February 2023.



School students of Royal Heritage School, Jabalpur (M.P.) visited ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur

ICFRE-Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla

- 41 students along with four faculty members of Government Senior Secondary School, Patta Mehlog, district Solan, H.P. participated in Basic forestry programme on 2 February 2023.
- 80 students of Kendriya Vidyalaya, Ghumarwin, Bilaspur, H.P. participated in Rain water harvesting: infrastructure in home, schools and offices programme on 6 February 2023.
- 80 students of Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Kothipura, Bilaspur, H.P. participated in Single Use Plastic Reduced programme on 15 February 2023.

Awareness and Demonstration Programme

ICFRE-Forest Research Institute, Dehradun

A group of 35 research students from various research institutes of India undergoing DST sponsored 'STUTI' programme at Doon University, Dehradun visited the Chemistry & Bioprospecting Division on 1 February 2023. They also visited the laboratories and witnessed the research activities and interacted with the scientists and gained knowledge about ongoing research in chemistry of forest products aimed to conserve the environment and also to promote the utilization of medicinal and aromatic plants. The students were also told about various products such as biologically active molecules, essential oils, natural dyes, fibres, fragrances, flavors, biopesticides, jigat, for incense sticks, dhoopbattis for wellbeing, katha, etc. developed by the division.

ICFRE-Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat

- 21 trainees from Soil Conservation Training Institute, Byrnihat, Meghalaya visited the Research and development activities of ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat viz. Bamboo Cultivation, Propagation, Nursery Management, Value addition & bamboo preservation techniques, Biotechnology and Tissue Culture, VPI Unit, Banh Bithika, Lac Cultivation, Botanical Garden, Orchidarium, Vermicomposting etc. on 1 February 2023.
- 81 students from Delhi Public School, Nazira, Sivasagar visited ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat on 2 February 2023.
- 13 B.Sc. students from Assam Agricultural University (AAU), Jorhat visited ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat on 8 February 2023 to understand various R&D activities of the Institute.
- 21 Forester Trainees of 51 Batch from Forest Training Institute, Wimberlygunj, South Andaman visited ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat on 24 February 2023. The participants were informed about the R&D activities of the Institute.



Forester Trainees of 51 Batch from Forest Training Institute, Wimberlygunj, South Andaman visited ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat

ICFRE-Institute of Forest Productivity, Ranchi

A batch of 54 B.Sc. Forestry (IVth year) students along with two faculty members from TNAU-FCRI, Mettupalayam visited ICFRE-HFRI, Shimla on 23 February 2023.

ICFRE-Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur

25 Students of B.Sc First Year, Solapur University, Maharashtra visited ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur on 22 February 2023.



Students of B.Sc First Year, Solapur University, Maharashtra visited ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur

ICFRE-Arid Forest Research Institute, Jodhpur

A group of 41 Students from Adarsh College Jodhpur visited Interpretation Centre and Modal Nursery of ICFRE-AFRI, Jodhpur with faculty members on 16 February 2023.

Visit to Institutes

- 43 RFO trainees of 2021-23 (7th batch) from Himachal Pradesh Forest Academy, Mandi, Himachal Pradesh visited Tissue culture Lab, Nursery Xylarium, Wood workshop, Plywood Plant, Wood Museum & Advanced Woodworking Training Centre at ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru and IPIRTI campus on 2 February 2023.
- Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) consultant team visited ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat regarding bamboo activities in the institute on 3 February 2023.



Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) consultant team visited ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat

- A group of 30 Assistant Professor/SMSs from Agriculture University, Jodhpur visited Interpretation Centre, VMG of Shisham Clones on 7 February 2023.
- 42 RFO trainees of 2021-23 batch from Uttarakhand Forest Training Academy, Haldwani, Nainital visited Tissue culture Lab, Nursery Xylarium, Wood workshop, Wood Museum & Advanced Woodworking Training Centre at ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru on 7 February 2023.



RFO trainees of 2021-23 batch from Uttarakhand Forest Training Academy, Haldwani, Nainital visited ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru

- 44 RFO trainees of 2022-24 (9th batch) from Telangana Forest Academy, Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh visited Tissue culture Lab, Nursery Xylarium, Wood workshop, Wood Museum & Advanced Woodworking Training Centre at ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru on 10 February 2023.
- A group of 42 RFO Trainees (8th batch) from Karnataka Forest Academy, Dharward, Karnataka visited AFRI, Jodhpur on 10 February 2023.
- Prof. Tony Collins Senior Fellow, UNCCD visited ICFRE-IWST Bengaluru and interacted with the officials and scientists of the institute on agroforestry, certification, landscape restoration, wood and climate change.



Prof. Tony Collins Senior Fellow, UNCCD visited ICFRE-IWST Bengaluru



- About 52 Forest Guard Trainees (6th Batch) from Forest Training Centre, Kadugodi Karnataka visited Laboratories, Xylarium, Nursery, AWTC, & Wood workshop of ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru campus on 13 February 2023
- A group of 50 Forest Guard Trainees, Ranger College of Balaghat (M.P.) visited ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur on 15 February 2023.
- Officials from UNCCD, Prof Tony Simons & Dr Ishwar Narayanan visited ICFRE, Dehradun on 15 February 2023 and had a discussion with DG, ICFRE & Scientists of CoE on Sustainable Land Management regarding collaboration in promoting South-South cooperation & achieving land degradation neutrality by 2030.

Popularizing Forestry through All India Radio/Doordarshan

Programme Topic	Channel	Date
ICFRE- Forest Research Institute, Dehradun		
Climate change and the health of trees - Dr. Amit Pandey, Scientist - 'G'	Akashwani Kendra, Dehradun 100.5 MHZ programme Krishi Jagat	3 February 2023
Conservation and Cultivation of Medicinal Plants - Dr Ranjana Negi, Scientist - 'E'	Akashwani Kendra, Dehradun 100.5 MHZ programme Krishi Jagat	3 February 2023
Bamboo Cultivation/Korumbia Cultivation - Dr. Ajay Thakur, Scientist - 'F'	Akashwani Kendra, Dehradun 100.5 MHZ programme Krishi Jagat	15 February 2023
Confluence of forestry and agriculture for income enhancement - Dr. Charan Singh, Scientist - 'F'	Akashwani Kendra, Dehradun 100.5 MHZ programme Krishi Jagat	15 February 2023
Use of essential oils in aromatherapy - Dr. V.K. Varshney - Scientist - 'G'	Akashwani Kendra, Dehradun 100.5 MHZ programme Krishi Jagat	17 February 2023
Use of essential oils in aromatherapy - Dr. Vineent Kumar - Scientist - 'G'	Akashwani Kendra, Dehradun 100.5 MHZ programme Krishi Jagat	17 February 2023
ICFRE- Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla		
Importance of pollination in Himalayan Region - Dr. Pawan Kumar - Scientist - 'E'	DD Shimla	15 February 2023

Miscellaneous

- ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat conducted two cleanliness drives in the Campus on 10 and 24 February 2023.
- ICFRE, Dehradun organized a Hindi workshop on 17 February 2023. Various employees of ICFRE and ICFRE-FRI, Dehradun attended the workshop.
- ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru celebrated National Science Day 2023 by deliberations on the importance of Science for sustainable development and well being and participated in celebrations hosted by ICFRE, Dehradun on 28 February 2023.



ICFRE, Dehradun organized a Hindi workshop



ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru celebrated National Science Day 2023

HR News

Retirements

Name of Officer	Date
Dr. Shri Ram Shukla, Scientist- 'G', ICFRE-IWST, Bengaluru	28.02.2023
Shri Dev Charan Kori, ACTO, ICFRE-TFRI, Jabalpur	28.02.2023

Repatriation

Name of Officer	Date
Dr. Nitin Kulkarni, Director, IFP, Ranchi	03.02.2023

Patron:

Shri A.S. Rawat, IFS, Director General, ICFRE, Dehradun

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